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DAILY LEADER

SATURDAY, MARCH 25, 1865.

SHERIDAN'S HEROES AND SECRETARY STANTON.

Representation of the Flies Captured by Sheridan at the War Department.

The Washington Chronicle contains the following highly interesting description of the scene at the War Department at the presentation of the seventeen battle flags captured from Early, to which reference has been made by the telegraph:

The seventeen battle-flags noted in our issue of the 10th instant are captured from the rebels by the 3d cavalry division of Major-General Sheridan's command in the action of Waynesboro, Virginia, on the 2d instant, were yesterday presented to the War Department by Major H. H. Custer, of the 8th New York Cavalry who had been detailed by General Sheridan to perform that duty. The 3d cavalry division is commanded by Major-General Custer, who captured the flags in the action of Waynesboro, Virginia, on the 2d instant, were yesterday presented to the War Department by Major H. H. Custer, of the 8th New York Cavalry who had been detailed by General Sheridan to perform that duty.

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The Latest News

BY TELEGRAPH.

LAST NIGHT'S REPORT.

OFFICIAL WAR BULLETIN.

Rebel Reports of Sherman's Movements.

The claim his Defeat at Bentonville.

LATEST FROM MOBILE.

The City Reported Evacuated.

MEXICAN NEWS.

The Troubles between Maximilian and the Church Continue.

Deep Gloom Prevailing in Richmond.

NEWS FROM REBEL PAPERS.

Financial Matters in the East.

DRY GOODS ARE STILL LOWER.

Gold Closes at 153.

The Hotel Burner Kennedy to be Hung to-day.

FROM COLUMBUS.

[Special Dispatch to the Cleveland Leader.]

COLUMBUS, March 24.

The only measure of importance to report in the legislative proceedings, is the passage of the Soldiers' Home Bill to-night by the House. The vote was 60 to 6.

The bill provides for the purchase of the Ohio White Sulphur Springs, or any other property so well adapted for the purpose, at a price not exceeding \$50,000. The Governor, Auditor of State and Attorney General are invested with the power of making the purchase, or not making any.

The Secretary, then turning to Senator Howard, who had entered the Department during the proceedings, said:

I beg to introduce to you the Hon. Mr. Howard, a Senator from the State of Michigan, the present home of General Custer. The Senator feels and shares with you the honor and glory of this occasion.

Senator Howard, in acknowledging the introduction, tendered to the officers and soldiers present the most sincere thanks of the people of his state, who he observed, were the immediate fellow-citizens of General Custer.

The Secretary then introduced the Hon. Ira Harris, a Senator from the State of New York, who spoke as follows:

This gentleman, is a proud day for me. I never proud that I have ever known a man representing here to-day. It is one of the proudest days of my life to know that New York can send to the field, in defense of our country, brave men like you and your comrades, who can present such evidence of gallantry, courage, and service to the country. I think you gentlemen are proud, for what you have done for the country and for our native State.

The Secretary was then directed to take charge of the captured colors, and to issue the necessary orders as to medals, pay and furloughs.

A Theory of the Evacuation of Kingston.

A correspondent of the New York Tribune suggests the following as the theory for the evacuation of Kingston by the rebels.

It has since been confirmed by the evacuation of Goldsboro.

The Richmond papers lately indicated Kingston and Goldsboro as places which must be held at all hazards. The reasons for this, they said, were the fact that the rebels had a large force of men in the city, and that the Confederacy would rapidly grow from had the good fortune to be witnesses of the presentation.

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